

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Clara Louise Kellogg, entertained the people of Kansas City Tuesday night.

Postmaster General James, has sent in his resignation to take effect about January 1st, 1882.

We should like to see a copy of the Warrensburg J. D. Daily. Gentlemen do you take the hint?

O'Connor, the great Irish agitator, now in America, will lecture in Kansas City on Tuesday January 3rd 1882.

The Republicans in congress are beginning to show signs of a purpose to clog and prevent legislation on the tariff. They seem to be content with the present condition of that matter and hence will pursue a let-alone policy toward it. But free traders are strong and they mean business to the end.

The Osceola Sun wants the congressional convention of the Sixth district held at Appleton. We are not in favor of holding that convention in a Republican town and a Greenback county. Nevada, Vernon county, is the place most accessible and acceptable to all.

Ex-Senator Frelinghuysen, succeeds Blaine as Secretary of State. His appointment occurred on Monday the 12th and was at once unanimously confirmed by the Senate. It is stated that the new Secretary will not make any material changes in the course begun by his more illustrious predecessor. Mr. Blaine will soon go south on a Presidential exploring tour.

Mr. G. C. Wolfe, who has just returned from Columbus, Johnson county, reports a lively interest being taken up there in the new Ft. Scott, St. Louis & Chicago railroad. He says some valuable discoveries in coal have been made in their township which is having its effect on the company. Several meetings have been held, and the end of their enthusiasm is not yet reached.

Belton, in Cass county, is now the theater of considerable excitement. Some three weeks ago, three young bloods committed a robbery, for which they were arrested and held to await the action of the grand jury. John H. Tritt, editor of the Belton peeper, has been giving the robbers and such acts of lawlessness, particular thunder. A few days ago Tritt received a letter informing him that his presence was no longer desirable in that community. Taking no notice of this warning, he was again notified, this time, the document was ornamented with a coffin, skull and cross bones etc. Mr. Tritt still sticks it out, and what will be the result time will tell.

The following squib is from the Greenback News, at Springfield, an organ that slopped over with gush on the Republican party of this District last year:

Guiteau's great crime was caused by reading "sound" Republican papers, poisoning his mind till every sense of right was destroyed. What a fearful example of the rottenness of the age! The world is full of Guiteau's and the Republican press is turning out a fresh supply every day. Over ninety have appeared in Washington since the 2nd of July last. Where is that boasted morality in the people that was to withstand the clink of gold and the rattle of office? Have they become avenging cranks?

This paper takes no stock in Mr. H. Martin Williams' secret maneuvers with the Republicans and his action or that of any other in this respect cannot and shall not bind the News even if the party is attempted to be bound. We want and will have no truck with the Republican party, which we consider the deadly enemy of every principle of right and justice proclaimed by the Greenback party.—Springfield News.

We are not surprised at you not endorsing Mr. Williams' conduct at the National Capital, but it occurs to us as though your strictures on the Republican party are a little in conflict with sentiment expressed a year ago, when you all lay down in the same bed together. Perhaps the News desires to repent for the illicit collusion and adopts this method of doing it.

Ex-Congressman Robert S. Hale of New York, is dead.

Seoville, counsel for Guiteau, lectured on the trial of the assassin, at Washington, on the night of the 14th.

Eldorado Springs, Cedar county, has a new paper called the Herald. It is a seven column sheet and is creditable enough for the place.

Another train robbery chronicled. This time in the far off region of Texas, on the Southern Pacific railroad. It occurred on the morning of the 14th, and is attributable to the James boys.

The friends of the Mississippi river improvement question are pushing things with considerable vim at the capital. They propose to get some favorable legislation this winter if such a thing is among the possibilities.

The fund proposed to be raised for the erection of the Garfield monument, is \$250,000, of this amount Cleveland has raised \$51,000 already, and enough has been subscribed out side of that city to make a total of \$125,000, half of the whole amount desired.

The National farce is still in progress at Washington. If some interprising dramatist would pick up the subject and arrange its parts for the stage, his fortune would be secured. As a farce, absolute and disgusting its equal can no where be found or conceived. If we were judge of the court that is now pretending to try Guiteau, we would gag the miserable scamp on the spot, or force him otherwise to keep his mouth shut.

**Council Proceedings.**  
At a meeting of the town Board Thursday eve, an order was made extending Pleasant street from its western terminus still west to intersect North Main street.

J. C. Clark and others presented a petition to the Board to extend Ohio east to the eastern limits of the city; the street to be eighty feet wide.

The petitioners asked that Jefferson street be closed from Lyon street to railroad street.

Wade & Scudder were given a permit to put in a cistern in the rear of their new building on the north side by the town Board last evening, they becoming responsible for all damages that may accrue.

We met Capt. Holly Nichol in the city Friday and he wore a grin on his face as broad as a wagon track, we kicked him for a news item, of course he said he had it on hand, and with a heart swelling with pride and emotion, he told us he was the happy father of a lovely girl baby. We congratulated the Capt. and then interviewed him as to the wheat prospects. He said in his locality the crops were exceedingly promising.

Thursday there was a car load of corn received from up North at the elevator. When the car was unlocked, to the surprise of all present, there was a large sized Thomas cat in the car. His catship had traveled all the way from the North, free and for nothing. The animal was taken by Mr. Steele to his office and shortly after being ensconced in his new home Thomas made a vigorous lunge at a rat that had no hair on its tail and gobbled it up. A valuable accession is Thomas.

### A True Cause for Regret.

It makes the heart of every philanthropist sad to see so many worthless patent medicines puffed and advertised for the cure of chronic diseases. Usually the remedy is some vile cathartic compound or alcoholic preparation, combined with buchu, turpentine or other severe diuretic that affords the invalid only temporary relief, but which has no lasting effect and intrinsically eventually brings on a complication of diseases arising from a state of worn-out and exhausted digestive and urinary organs that nothing but death can relieve. Invalids should trust more to nature for their recovery. A gentle medicinal tonic that stimulates enfeebled digestion and strengthens every part of the system by its soothing and refreshing effect on both mind and body, is nature's truest and best assistant. Such a remedy is Brown's Iron Bitters, a medicine surpassing the sale of all other remedies whenever its merits become known, for it acts in such perfect harmony with the laws of life and health, that all pulmonary, urinary and digestive troubles are prevented and permanently cured by its timely use. It contains no alcohol, and will not blacken the teeth. Physicians and ministers endorse and recommend it.

At the invitation of that amiable and polite gentleman, Mr. O. D. Austin, we attended the installation of officers and the banquet given by the Chapter Thursday eve. at the Masonic hall. The Chapter met, and after the transaction of some business, the door was thrown open and the large crowd that had assembled to witness the installation ceremonies, were invited to take seats within the hall, when the following named gentlemen were installed officers of the Chapter for the ensuing year:

F. J. Tygard, Most Excellent High Priest.  
John A. J. Moore, King.  
Henry Kaune, Scribe.  
W. W. Ross, Principal Sojourner.  
J. W. Bedford, Royal Arch Capt.  
T. J. Smith, Master Third Vale.  
J. R. Burcham, Master Sec'd Vale.  
C. C. Duke, Matter First Vale.  
A. Sims, Secretary.  
H. V. Pentzer, Guard.

As each officer was installed, he was clad in a robe that denoted his official rank. The ceremonies were quite impressive, and elicited the attention of all those present. At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies, the assembled people were invited to partake of a repast that had been prepared by the Chapter, which for variety, quality and quantity of viands of all descriptions, was almost unapproachable. Taking the affair all in all, it was one of the grandest that ever took place in Butler. Every one present was delighted.

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If you want a good diamond ring or stud. Something new in the town. Call on Franz Bernhardt. 147 6t.

A good walnut Bureau for \$10, a rocking chair for 75 cts a bedstead \$2.40, a carpet for 35 cts, window shades etc., at W. E. Leonard's, Archie. 147 6t.

Did you see the stock of silver plated ware at F. Bernhardt's? It pays to see it.

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Another decline reported on hats, caps and gloves at Maddy's. 168-dtw 1mw

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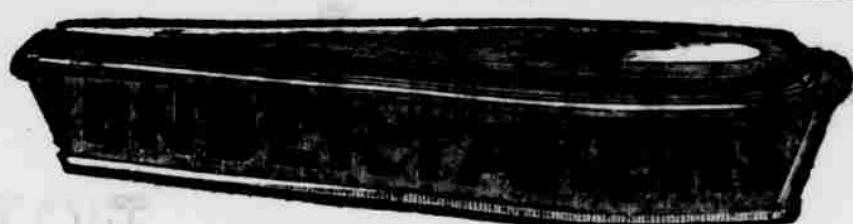
Archie is the place to buy Furniture or get walnut coffins on short notice, also brackets sawed for porticos at W. E. Leonard's. 51 tf

**R. Weil & Co.**  
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